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Mr. Jan Baran
Counsel to Action Committee for Rural Electrification
WILEY REIN LLP
1776 K Street NW
Washington, DC 20006
VIA E-MAIL: JBaran@wileyrein.com

RE: MUR 6618

Dear Mr. Baran,

On September 26, 2012, the Federal Election Commission accepted a conciliation agreement with my client, United Power, Inc., in Matter Under Review ("MUR") 6618. In MUR 6618, United Power admitted that it reimbursed members of its board of directors for contributions made to Action Committee for Rural Electrification with prohibited corporate funds in violation of 2 U.S.C. §§ 441b and 441f. In accordance with the conciliation agreement, United Power, the source of the prohibited funds made in the names of its directors, waived its right to refunds of the contributions and agreed to request that ACRE disgorge to the U.S. Treasury \$7,956, the portion of reimbursed contributions within the statute of limitations. I have been advised by the Commission's Office of the General Counsel that a check in that amount, made payable to the U.S. Treasury and referencing MUR 6618, should be sent to the following address within 30 days of your receipt of this letter:

Dawn M. Odrowski, Esq.
Federal Election Commission
Office of General Counsel
999 E Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20463

Should you have any questions, please contact Dawn M. Odrowski, the Federal Election Commission attorney overseeing this matter, at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,



Charles R. Spies

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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

October 25, 2012

TWO WAY MEMORANDUM

TO: OGC Docket
FROM: Rosa E. Swinton *RES*
Financial Operation Specialist

SUBJECT: Account Determination for Funds Received

We recently received a check from **Action Committee for Rural Electrification**. The check number is **00020030**. Dated **10/22/2012**, in the amount of **\$7,956.00**. A copy of the check and all correspondence are attached. Please indicate below which account the funds should be deposited and give the MUR/Case number and name associated with the deposit.

TO: Rosa E. Swinton
Financial Operation Specialist

FROM: OGC Docket

SUBJECT: Disposition of Funds Received

In reference to the above check in the amount of \$ 7956.00,
the MUR/Case number is 6618 and in the name of
Action Committee for Rural Electrification (ACRE)

Please this deposit in the account indicated below:

 Civil Penalties Account, 95-1099.160

XX Miscellaneous Receipt Account, 95-3220.160
(Disgorgement)

Kim Collins
Signature

October 26, 2012
Date

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